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MEMORANDUM FOR THE RECORD

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Morning meeting with the DCI. Present were: General Carter, Mr. Helms, Dr. Scoville, Mr. Bross, Mr. Earman, Mr. Cline, Mr. Sheldon, Colonel White, Mr. Houston, Dr. Kent, Mr. Jack Smith, and

The DCI expressed concern over the forthcoming withdrawals from Cuba, and asked that a number of steps be taken in at once for closest possible coverage. He wants NRO today to plan on having up enough U-2s over ports and equipment and personnel, concentrating on exodus indications. He directed that DD/P arrange to have liaison assets cranked up. He directed that an inter-agency task force under DD/I's chairmanship be established to report daily. The task force is to include NPIC. DCI wants to examine the photography.

*02/23* / The DCI expressed concern over equipment difficulties with the A-12. He said he wants to tell the 5412 committee what these difficulties are. The DCI directed that DD/R prepare a daily memo to be given to the DCI and DDCI each morning describing this situation.

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